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I THOUGHT LAST TIME WE CLARIFIED YOU ARE NOT WELCOME HERE.
"SHIROHIME".

WE ARE NOT GOING TO GIVE YOU LODGING NOR FOOD! YOU KNOW RFECTLY . . .
I KNOW !!
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THEN, WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM US?
TAKE CARE OF THAT KID
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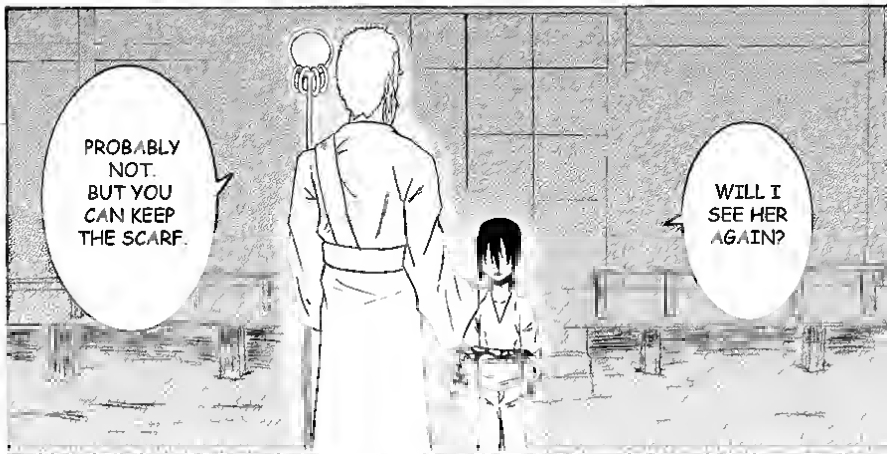
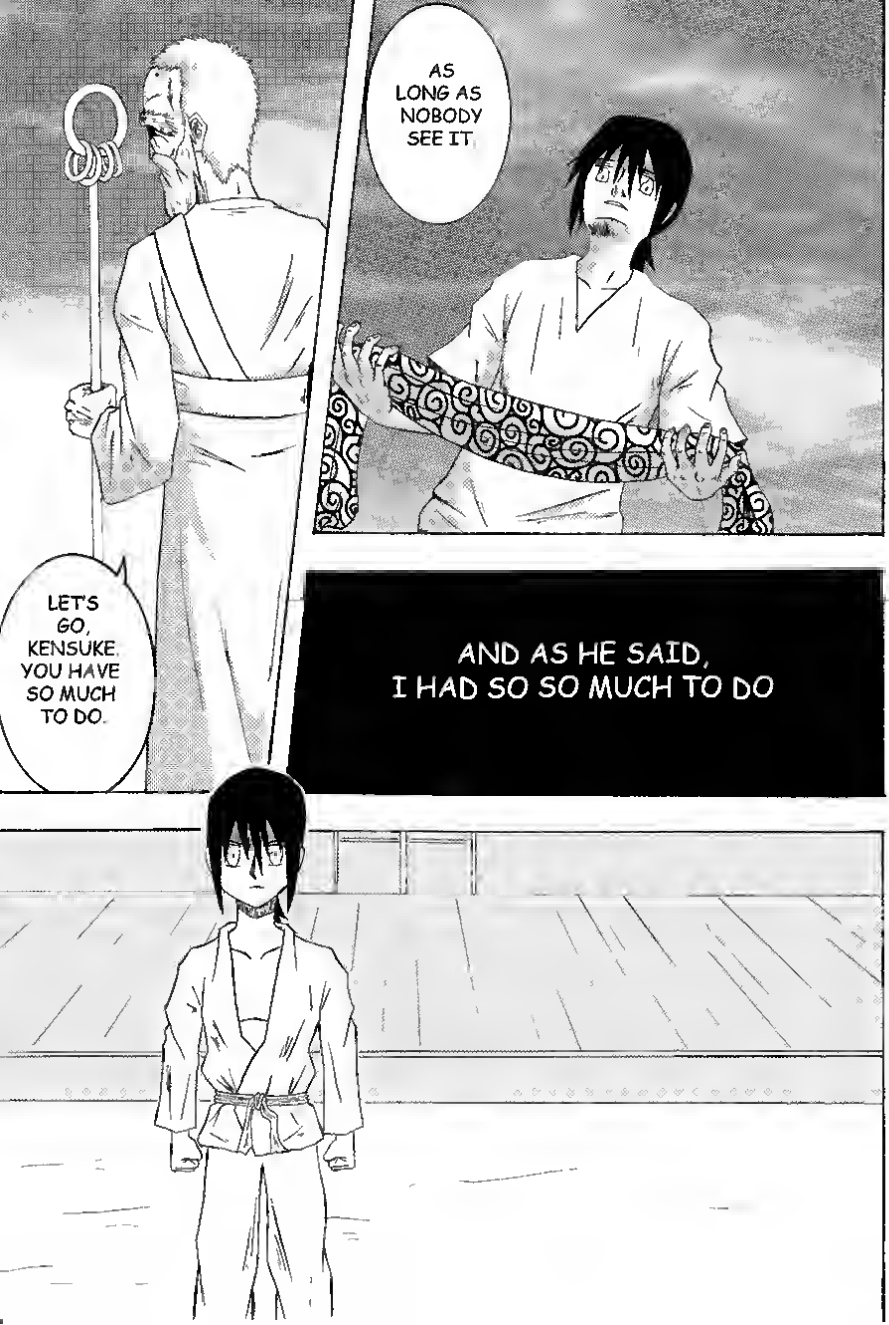
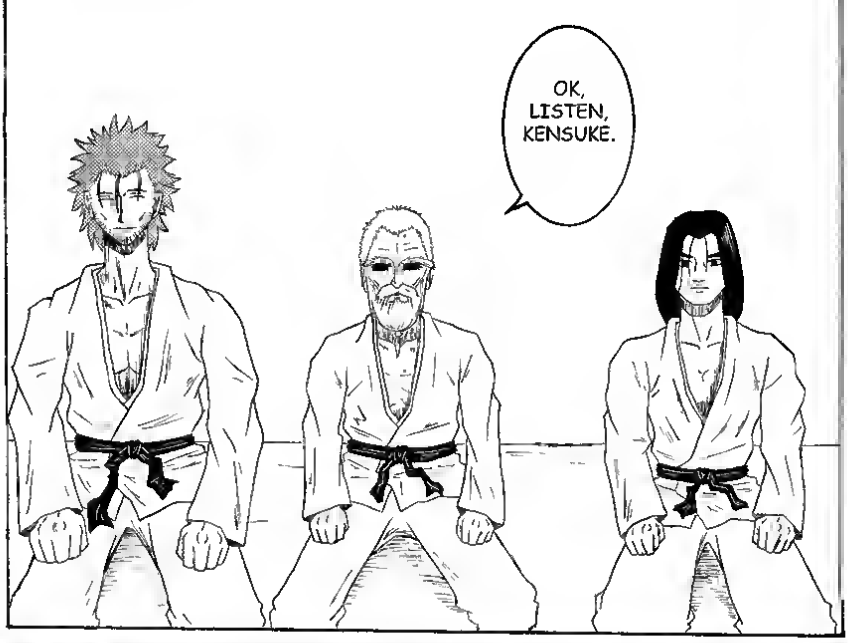
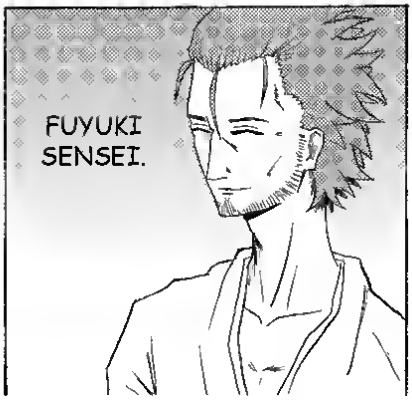
I SUPPOSE YOU HAVE SOME REASONS, WHY WOULD WE DO THAT? SHIROHIME
WELL, THIS KID
EH!? WAIT, WHAT'S SHE TALKING ABOUT!? I DON'T UNDERSTAND!

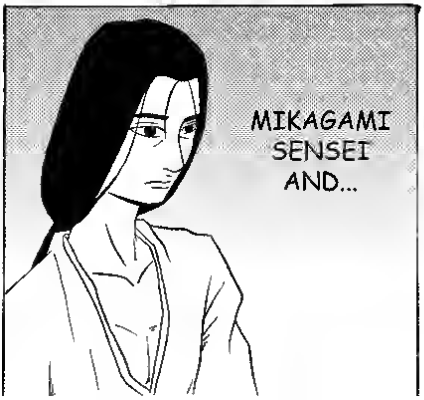

PROBABLY NOT. BUT YOU CAN KEEP THE SCARF.
WILL I SEE HER AGAIN?


AS LONG AS NOBODY SEE IT
LET'S GO, KENSUKE. YOU HAVE SO MUCH TO DO.
AND AS HE SAID, I HAD SO SO MUCH TO DO



THESE THREE PEOPLE ARE THE ONES WHO RULE THE TEMPLE.
THE ONE IN THE MIDDLE IS SHIRATORI-SENSEI AND THE OTHER TWO ARE...





YOU'LL FIGHT WITH OTHER PUPILS IN ORDER TO CHECK THE FIGHTING SKILLS YOU ALREADY HAVE.
START!

EASY . . .

EASY . . .

TOO EASY.

SHIRATORI?
YES
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KENSUKE-KUN, RIGHT? I SEE YOU ARE VERY GOOD AT FIGHTING. PLEASE, ALLOW ME TO BE YOUR OPPONENT NOW, OK?

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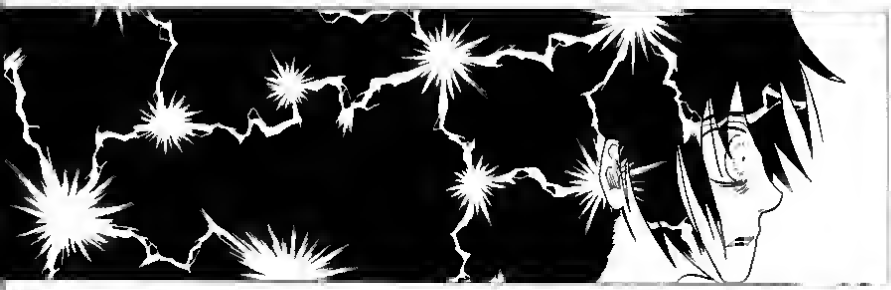

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WHAT...
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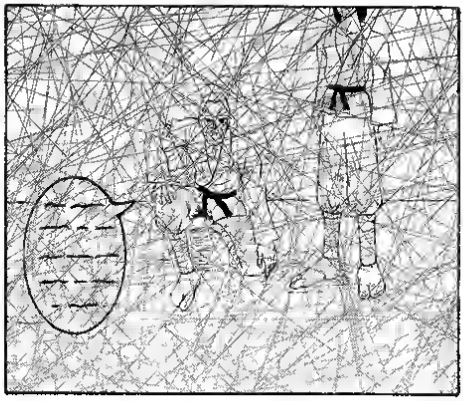
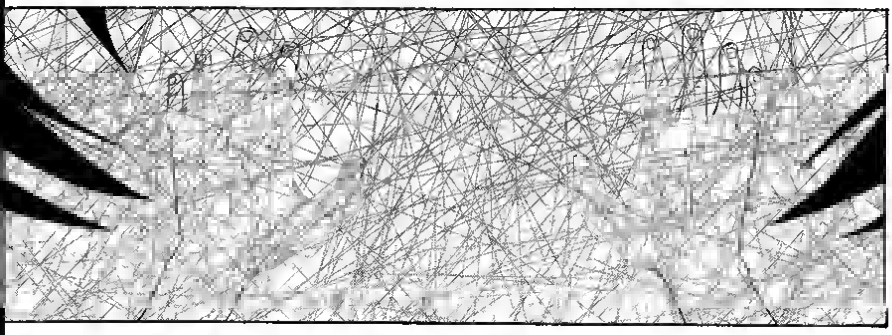
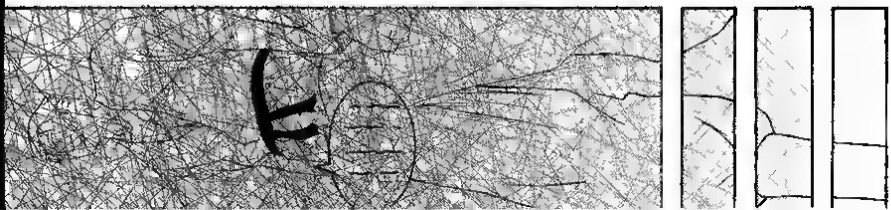
HAPPENING?







HAVING A GOOD DREAM, KENSUKE?
AH!
SENSEI!! WE WERE FIGHTING AND THEN...
SHUT UP!

TELL ME, WHO TAUGHT YOU HOW TO FIGHT? SHIROHIME?
AH WEISS?
YEAH, WEISS LISTEN UP, YOU LITTLE SHIT FROM NOW ON, YOU'LL NOT TALK ABOUT HER, FIGHT LIKE HER OR DO ANYTHING RELATED TO HER THE OLD MAN LET YOU KEEP THAT RAG, BUT YOU BETTER KEEP IT HIDDEN, GET IT?
LATER, SOMEONE WILL BRING YOU SOME FOOD AND TOMORROW YOU'LL BE WITH THE OTHER PUPILS
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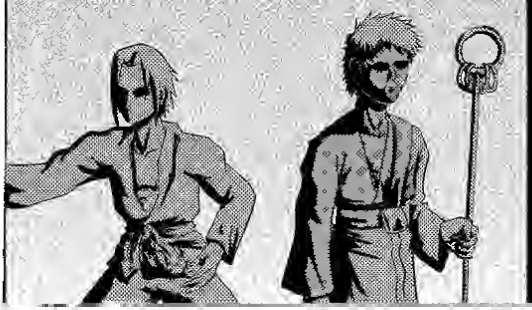
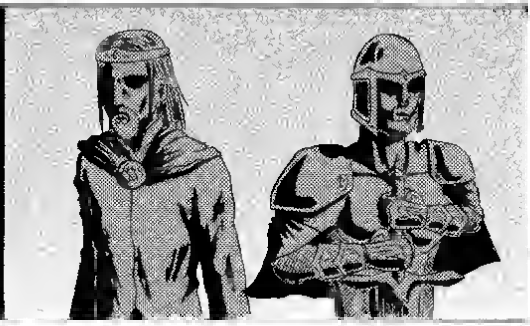
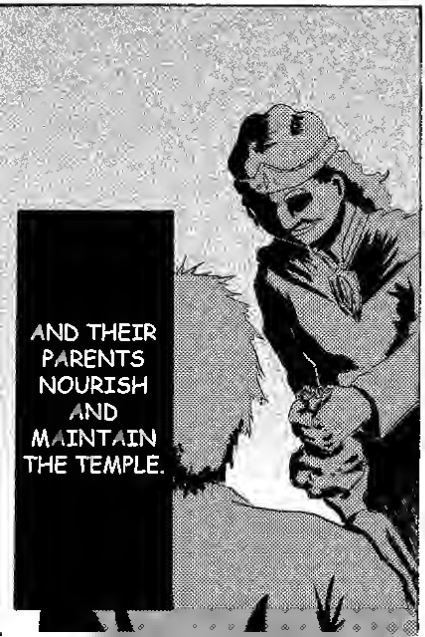
AT THE TEMPLE WE ARE CLASIFIED BY AGES. AND WE LEARN CALIGHAPHY, MATHEMATICS, MARTIAL ARTS AND SOME OTHER SUBJECTS.
THERE ARE A LOT OF TEACHERS. AND EVEN IF WE WERE TOGETHER, THERE ARE TWO DIFFERENT KIND OF PUPILS.



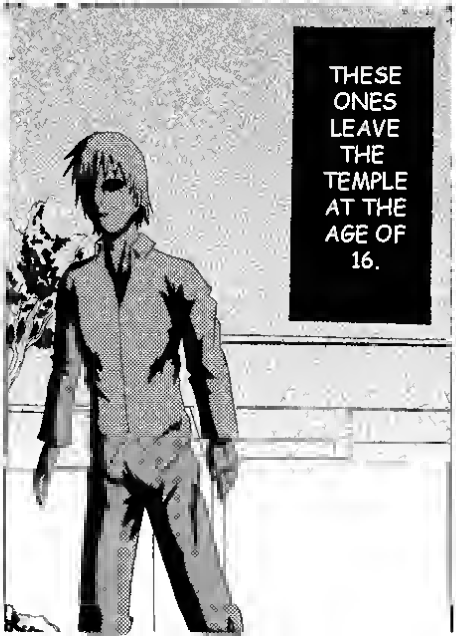
1. THE ONES WHO HAVE NO HOME OR FAMILY, LIKE ME. WE ARE GOING TO BECOME THE NEXT TEACHERS OF THE TEMPLE.

2. SONS OF NOBLEMEN AND MILITARIES. THEY ARE HERE TO RECEIVE A FULL EDUCATION.





AND THEIR PARENTS NOURISH AND MAINTAIN THE TEMPLE.

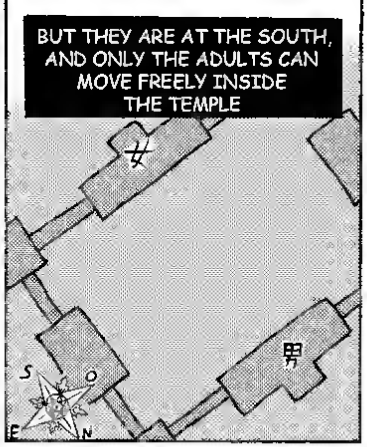


THESE ONES LEAVE THE TEMPLE AT THE AGE OF 16.

WHEN THEY GOT BETTER, I BECAME FRIENDS WITH THE THREE GUYS I BEAT IN THE EVALUATION

BRIAN & BORIS ARE BOTH NOBLEMEN. SOME DAY, THEY'LL BRING THEIR SONS HERE AND SHINTARO & ME WILL TEACH THEM. THIS IS HOW THE TEMPLE WORKS.

WE ARE ONLY TOGETHER AT DINNER TIME.


BUT THEY ARE AT THE SOUTH, AND ONLY THE ADULTS CAN MOVE FREELY INSIDE THE TEMPLE
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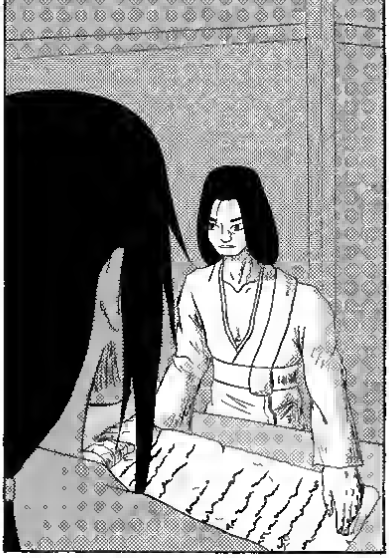
TIME WENT BY, WE GREW UP, SOME ONES LEFT . . .



THOSE WERE PEACEFUL DAYS.
IT WAS EVERYTHING OK, A LOT OF THINGS HAPPENED, I GOT AN IMPORTANT PLACE IN THE HIERARCHY OF THE TEMPLE AND I EVEN HAD A STALKER.

WHO COULD TELL IT WAS GOING TO END LIKE THIS?
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